

The Shorelines

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Manager's Message: I am wondering if you are asking yourself the same question that I am, "where did this year go?" The holiday season is already upon us, and I hope that you are looking forward to the season as much as I am. **Time** is our most valuable commodity and something that once it is gone, we can never get it back. We can earn more money, buy more things, but once the moment has passed, we can never recover it. I just want to take this **time** to encourage you to enjoy the holiday season with your family, friends, and community. Take **time** to reach out to someone in need, donate to a worthy cause, call or visit that person you have not talked to recently or you have been thinking about. The holiday season is a wonderful **time**, don't let it slip by without enjoying it. On behalf of the Mayor & Council and our entire administrative staff we hope you have a blessed Thanksgiving.

Steve Poloni

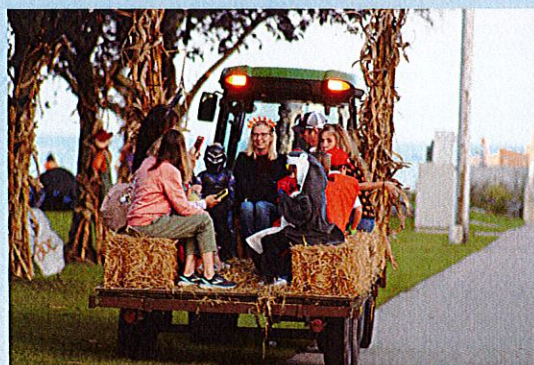
November 2nd General Election



Polls open 7:00 am—8:00 pm

Precincts 1 & 2 vote in the Administration Building

Precinct 3 returns to voting at the Ford House

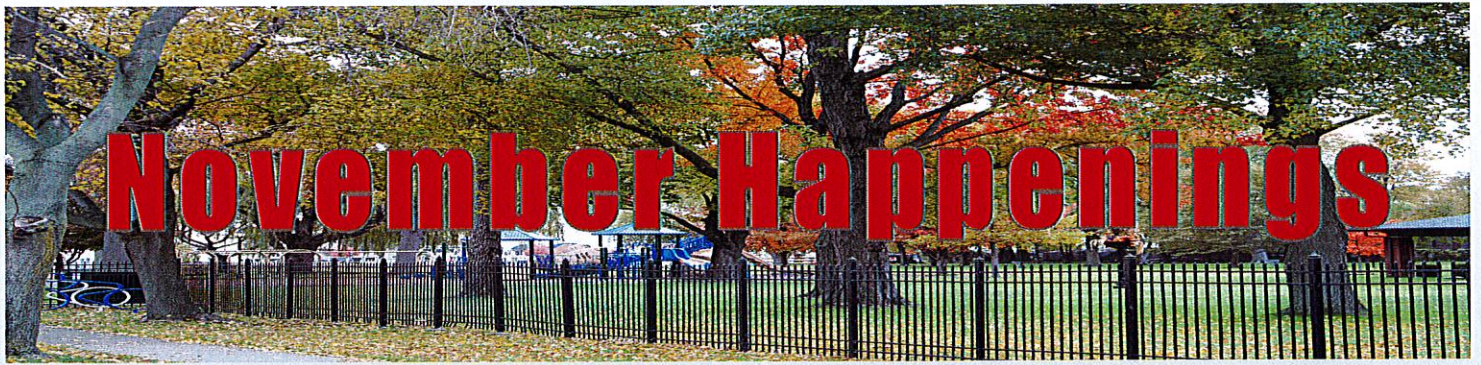


BOO FEST 2021

A SPOOKTACULAR EVENING

Harbor Closes for the season November 15th.

2022 Boatwell Renewal notices will be mailed to residents Mid November with a deposit due date of December 15th
Please notify the Harbor Master at (313) 881-6565 if you will not be returning for the 2022 season so we may assign your well to the next person on the waiting list



- 2 General Election Polls open from 7:00 AM—8:00 PM
Request/Plans for 11/23 Planning Commission Meeting must be submitted by this date
- 5 12:30 PM Municipal Court Session
- 6 1:00 PM Weather Siren Test
- 7 Daylight savings ends—turn clocks back one hour
- 10 9:00 AM Municipal Court Session
- 11 Veteran's Day (Offices open)
- 15 Harbor Closes for the Season
7:00 PM GPSIF Trustee Meeting
- 16 7:00 PM Council Meeting
- 17 9:00 AM Municipal Court
- 23 9:00 AM Planning Commission Meeting
- 24 Wednesday's & Thursday's household rubbish collection. Recycling on schedule
- 25 Thanksgiving Day—Administrative Offices, Court and DPW Closed. No collection of household rubbish or recycling
- 26 Administrative Offices, Court & DPW Closed.
10:00 AM Grosse Pointe Santa Claus Parade.
Collection of Thursday's recycling
- 28 6:00 PM Lighting of the Village

**For up to date village information please visit the Grosse Pointe Shores website,
www.gpshoresmi.gov**

YEAR END RUBBISH PICK UP SCHEDULES AND OFFICE CLOSURE DATES



Thanksgiving Holiday Rubbish Schedule

Wednesday– November 24th

Wednesday's & Thursday's household rubbish collection
Recycling on Schedule

Thursday November 25th

DPW, Administration Offices and Court CLOSED
No collection of household rubbish or recycling

Friday—November 26th

DPW, Administration Offices and Court CLOSED
Collection of Thursday's recycling



DECEMBER HOLIDAY RUBBISH SCHEDULE

Wednesday- December 22nd

Wednesday's & Thursday's household rubbish collection
Recycling on schedule

Thursday -December 23rd

DPW, Administration Offices and Court CLOSED
No collection of household rubbish
Recycling on schedule

Friday -December 24th

DPW, Administration Offices and Court CLOSED
No collection of household rubbish

Wednesday- December 29th

Wednesday's & Thursday's household rubbish collection
Recycling on schedule

Thursday- December 30th

DPW, Administration Offices and Court CLOSED
No collection of household rubbish
Recycling on schedule

Friday—December 31st

DPW, Administration Offices and Court CLOSED





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Adopt a Hydrant

With the winter months approaching fast and the anticipation of our first snow fall, the Grosse Pointe Shores Public Safety Department has created an "Adopt a Hydrant Program." This program was created to help keep our cities fire hydrants clear and available when needed in an emergency situation. Any resident can adopt a hydrant or hydrants in their neighborhood. Your participation in this program is greatly appreciated.

Any resident who adopts a hydrant will help the Fire Department by keeping them clear of snow in the winter and overgrowth in the summer. Residents who participate in the program will also report blocked or damaged hydrants year round.



To sign up, simply send an email to my office at kwerenski@gpshoresmi.gov.

Provide your name, address, phone number and location of the hydrant(s).

What to do:

- *Keep hydrant free from snow and ice
- *Keep hydrants free from overgrowth of grass and weeds
- *Report damage or leaks to DPW 313 / 886-0020

What not to do:

- *Paint hydrant
- *Alter or repair hydrant
- *Mark curb or street

Kenneth V. Werenski
Director of Public Safety

PUBLIC WORKS UPDATE



PICK UP FOR LEAVES CONTINUES THROUGH FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3RD



Leaves need to be placed in the gutter of the roadway for the vacuum to pick them up.

Lake Shores Road residents need to place the leaves on the grass just behind the curb



YARD WASTE BAGS are for grass and garden debris, this service continues thru Friday, December 3rd. Do not place the grass clippings in the street with your leaves.



Large Recycle bins are available for sale for \$60 at the Administrative Office. If interested please call 881-6565



Winterization and blowing out your sprinkler lines can prevent sprinkler issues in the future.

Hydrant Flushing will continue in November, signs will be posted on streets the day prior to hydrant flushing.



PARKS & RECREATION

OSIUS PARK FALL HOURS 7:00AM-11:00PM

Frightful and Delightful,
it's a
big
thank you!



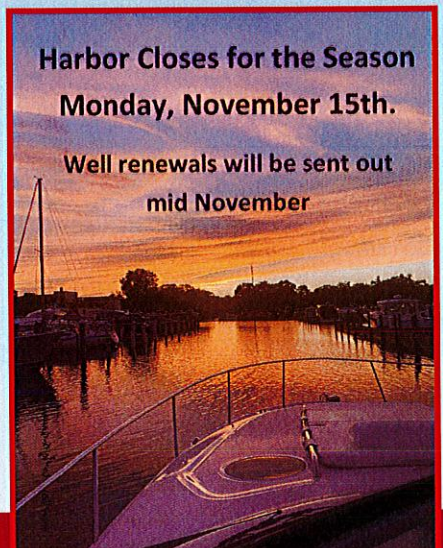
To the Department of Public Works, the Park Staff, the Administrative Staff, the beautification committee and the Grosse Pointe Shores Improvement Foundation for making this year's **BOO FEST** a **SPOOKTACULAR** event!

Because of your efforts over 250 little trick or treaters and their families had a bootastic evening.



Harbor Closes for the Season
Monday, November 15th.

Well renewals will be sent out
mid November





*JOIN YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS AT THE
ANNUAL LIGHTING OF THE VILLAGE*

WHEN: SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2021

WHERE: GPS Municipal Building

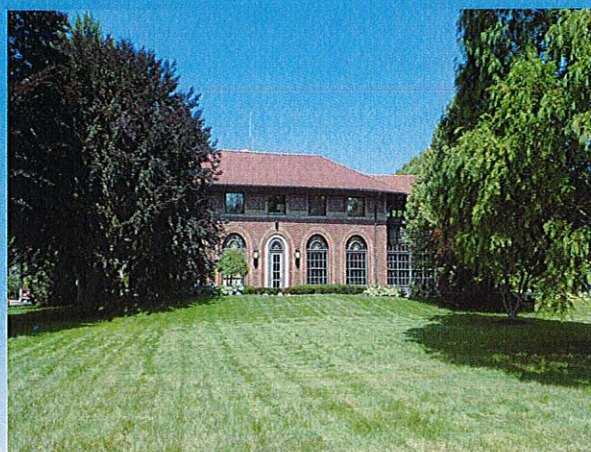
TIME: 6:00 PM

Santa will be stopping by with Christmas Carol to give out special treats! Enjoy Christmas Carols and hot chocolate and cookies kindly provided by the *Grosse Pointe Shores Improvement Foundation*. Bring your children, grandchildren...and don't forget the cameras!!



GPS Telephone Directory

City Administration: 881-6565
Department of Public Safety: 881-5500
Department of Public Works: 886-0020
Municipal Park Gate: 884-7018
Court Office: 881-5503
Pool Office: 884-2305



Emergencies Only: 911
TDD Unit 343-0666 (for the hearing impaired)

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GPS Administrative Office hours:

Monday—Friday 8:30 am to 5:00 pm

DPW: Monday—Friday 7:30 am to 4:00 pm

Public Safety: Open 24 Hours

Watch our monthly Council Meeting on our
[website gpshoresmi.gov](http://www.gpshoresmi.gov)